

FREE Band Concert at The River

2:30 p. m. SUNDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 6 On board Floating Theatre

Monday Night Cooley & Thom will present the big musical success "JUNGLETOWN" on the same boat, "The Wonderland"

A Masterful Address.
The presence of the graduating class, faculty, Board of Education and a large audience, the annual commencement sermon was delivered by Rev. Jas. Vernon, of Henderson. The program was carried out in the last week's paper.
Rev. Vernon's address was pronounced the best delivered here in years. It was a masterful presentation of the Bible—its place in government, in literature, in art, in the social and intellectual movements of the world. He treated his subject with great skill, showing that all the arts and sciences find their origin in the Bible, and that all the onward movements of the world have sprung from it.
At the evening hour, he delivered a special sermon at the Methodist church, by request; his subject being "The Bible and the Future of the World." Graphically, he portrayed the wasting away of time and the dissolution of worlds and ages, the grinding to powder of things earthly; yet, among the words of all, the words of the Master endureth.
Rev. Vernon made a fine impression on our people, and will always be remembered by them to this city.

Old Members Re-Elected.
An election was held Tuesday for the purpose of electing three members of the Board of Education of this district, to fill vacancies occasioned by the expiration of the terms of John Choate, Dr. S. K. Davidson and S. L. Dodds.
The result was the re-election of the above gentlemen for another year. Only 50 votes were cast, while there should have been 100, with this result:
John Choate 49
Dr. Davidson 49
S. L. Dodds 48
H. Hartwick 4.

DeHart Shot for Squirrel.
About two weeks ago, a few miles from town, two neighbors were hunting turkeys and one shot the turkey, thinking he was a squirrel. As a sequel to this, a similar one but not so happy, occurred on Route 1, 4 miles from town, Monday.
While hunting squirrels, O. C. DeHart was accidentally shot by his friend, Otis Eiks. DeHart was hiding in the brush waiting for game when Eiks came through the woods and the former's head moved in the brush, thinking it was a squirrel, and a load of bird shot at it. Possibly a dozen of the leaden missiles took effect in DeHart's head and neck.
Fortunately the wound is not fatal, but is serious enough.
The men are neighbors and good friends.

On Monday night Cooley & Thom's boat will give a performance at the river front in this city, but it will be their last time here.
The agent not already billed the boat, this date would not be filled. For this time last year the city on show boats has been raised from \$25 to \$40, which, added to the county license of \$12, the management claims makes the price of a seat prohibitive. They claim that no other town on the river has a half so much for showing boats, and that the boats will have to cut out Hickman. In view of the fact that we have so little doing in the amusement line in this city, it is to be regretted that even the boat shows must be forced to cut out. Hickman is getting to the point where it reminds one of the hay pile which could not be cut and would not allow the stock to eat. We can't get up enough public spirit to do anything ourselves and we won't let the other fellow do anything.

Mrs. Geo. Warren, wife of the late Judge Geo. Warren, who for 40 years was editor of this paper, lies at her home in a critical state of health. The death of this good woman is momentarily expected, as the attending physician says there is no hope for her recovery.
Charlie Newton is very sick, at his home in East Hickman.

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State Line.	Rush Creek.	Woodland Mills.
T. A. Prather, Jr. was in Union City Tuesday.	George Roper has been having chills.	Ed Jordan, of Nashville, is visiting here.
W. J. Maddox has returned from a visit to Fulton.	Miss Irene Costic has been sick of chills.	J. E. Cox made a business trip to Union City Thursday.
Farmers are much worried over the wet weather.	Miss Lorene Davis is sick this week.	Misses Davidson and Rice spent Saturday with Dr. Turner.
John Henry Parks, of Union City, was here Wednesday.	Hugh Adams is expected home from Henderson, Tenn.	Mrs. Branham and children are the guests of Woodland relatives.
B. G. Hale loaded a car of spring lambs here Wednesday.	Sickness has invaded the home of Mrs. Will Fields, several children complaining.	A. L. Curlin was called to Dyersburg to attend the funeral of his little nephew.
Miss Mary Burrus has returned from a visit in Union City.	Little Price Henry who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Kate Bynum, near Fulton, returned home Tuesday.	Miss Oliver, of Fulton, and Miss Bradley, of Cayce, are the guests of Miss Zola Bradley.
J. W. Ballow and Lon Wheeler spent Tuesday in Union City.	Ruby Davis was quite ill Saturday, having a chill in the forenoon and in the afternoon had a severe spasm, her fever reaching 105 in temperature.	Lea Garth, Misses Margaret Johnson and Helen Richards attended the play Tuesday night.
Rev. Turkington filled the pulpit at Poplar Grove last Sunday.	Ellis Henry who went to Henderson, Tenn., to attend commencement exercises at the High School, did not return Tuesday as expected, owing to the delay of the train.	Misses Tisdale, Simmons, Isaacs and Mr. Tisdale are the guests of the Misses Curlin this week.
J. P. Maddox attended the County Sunday School Convention last Friday.	News is scarce for everybody is staying at home and nursing the sick. Nearly every family in the immediate neighborhood having two or more confined to bed. It is malaria.	Misses Annie Beauchamp and Margaret Porter are spending the week with Mrs. John D. Alexander.
A number of young people here will attend the Confederate Reunion at Memphis next week.	The rain, the rain Has come again And farmers poor and needy— Must let their crops grow weedy; But let your mind be sunny There's something else besides money With cheerful hearts and sunny brain Will forget sometime the busy rain.	The Deacon" was the title of a very delightful play presented at the school house by the eighth grade, assisted by Messrs. Burrus and Turner and Miss Curlin. Mr. and Mrs. Cox are certainly to be congratulated for the play was a success in every way. Mr. Andrew Burrus, who played the title role, was a typical country gentleman. When Tommie Bradley appeared as Pete, the audience was captivated and could almost imagine themselves on some plantation away down South in Dixie. When Miss Lassie Curlin, as Mrs. Darrab, the deserted wife, left the stage, there were very few in the audience who could refrain from tears. The other members of the troop are certainly worthy of all praise, for we feel that as amateur performers they can be excelled nowhere. The vocal solos by Mr. Garth, of Union City, were certainly excellent and we are sure that they were greatly appreciated by the music loving people of this vicinity.
Decoration Day will be observed at Poplar Grove next Saturday. A nice program will be rendered.	It's amusing how superstition hangs on even to this day. There are any number of men in this vicinity who verily believe that because a slight rain fell on the first day of the month that we are sure to have at least 15 rainy days out of the 30. Nothing to it; the old saying has been taken to the test and did not work. Cheer up—June may be a hummer.	Misses Tisdale, Simmons, Isaacs and Mr. Tisdale are the guests of the Misses Curlin this week.
G. B. Threlkeld and wife will leave on a visit to Memphis, Tenn., and Hermonds, Miss., next week.	The latest Style—the blue hat for young men—see them in our window.—Rice's Shoe Store.	Misses Tisdale, Simmons, Isaacs and Mr. Tisdale are the guests of the Misses Curlin this week.
W. M. Shaw, wife and little grandson, Arthur L., will leave Sunday for a visit to Mrs. Shaw's niece, Mrs. Strickland, at Memphis.		
The entertainment of the young people of the Christian church announced in last week's paper, doubtless will be one of the most entertaining and instructive lessons of the season. The program given is unique and tends to lead all whose hearts are tender with the dew of youth, to appreciate anything that leads to mother, home and heaven, which is the closing tableau. Admission adults 15c, children 10c.		
There will be a union gathering take place at Poplar Grove, Saturday, for the purpose of decorating graves and otherwise looking after cemetery. An interesting program will be rendered during the day, including a basket dinner—a very attractive feature.		
The moon will be in total eclipse tonight from 6:30 to 8 o'clock.		

"Mosquito" Fleet Passes.
Three United States auxiliary boats enroute from the lake posts to the Gulf passed Hickman about 3 o'clock Sunday, flying their colors like a first class battleship. None of the boats exceed 60 feet in length, and are used principally for scout and messenger service.
The three little boats composing this "mosquito fleet" are the Lieut. Edgar F. Keohler, the Lieut. Wm. H. Smith and the Lieut. Wm. C. Neary. Capt. Hitchcock is commodore of the fleet and has the distinction of supervising one of the most unique voyages ever made by a vessel in the service of Uncle Sam.
The boats were stationed at Muskegon, Mich., when sailing orders were received, with instructions to proceed to their stations via "the old Illinois and Michigan canal." The canal was originally six feet in depth, but has fallen into ill repair and now the average depth is only 4 feet, 6 inches. All of the boats drew 5 feet 10 inches of water when dismantled of stack, pilot-house and fuel. The seemingly impossible feat of carrying out the orders of "proceeding via the old Illinois and Michigan canal" was accomplished by Capt. Hitchcock, who rigged up a block and tackle apparatus and pulled the boats through the slime and mud of the old waterway.

Two weddings about ripe.
A. S. Barkett was in Fulton yesterday.

Born to the wife of Joe Smith, in East Hickman, on May 27th, a fine girl.

Hayes, the little son of George Metheny and wife, is on the sick list.

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Clarence Corum delivers the Commercial Appeal, Post-Dispatch and Nashville American.

Prof. R. L. Amberg has returned from Opelousas, La., where he has been teaching school.

M. S. Barkett, who has just arrived in this country from Syria, is the guest of his uncle, A. S. Barkett.

W. F. and E. N. Kendall, J. E. Summers, of near Hornbeak, Tenn., visited Hickman friends Tuesday.

At present the river is rising very slowly but will likely be falling within the next 4 or 5 days, unless unexpected rains set in.

Rev. C. L. Price, of Fulton, will preach at the Episcopal Church in Hickman, on the second Sunday in June—11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

J. M. Tartt, a well known merchant of Wingo, made an assignment June 1. The liabilities are \$6,500; assets \$3,000. He is one of the oldest merchants in Western Kentucky.

Farms For Sale

For terms, location or other information call on or address The Hickman Courier

No. 33—Nice little 60-acre farm, located one mile north of Hickman, Mo. Has new 2-room house, located behind levee. 8 acres in cultivation, rest 4 years denuded, partly fenced. Place will bear close inspection.

CITY PROPERTY:

No. 37—A good six-room, nearly new, frame house and two lots 100x133 feet. Two blocks from business part of town. All needed improvements. A spanking good proposition for the man who wants a nice little home. Part cash, balance reasonable length of time.

No. 38—The John Kistner house and lot in West Hickman. Everyone knows this place. We are prepared to quote you a good price.

No. 39—Good six-room house, about 1 acre of ground, cistern, out buildings and other improvements. Short distance from Hickman College. A nice little home. It takes only \$1,000 cash to get it. Owner does not live here, and will sell at a big loss as the deeds will show.

No. 40—New six-room dwelling house and two acres of ground. Out buildings, rooming orchard, good cistern and other improvements. Just east of city limits. Will sell at a bargain. Inquire at this office.

No. 41—This lot includes 9 houses and lots in West Hickman. Houses are all comparatively new and contains 3 or four rooms, ideally located for people who work at the factory. Any house and lot, including all improvements, may be purchased at \$50 each—one-third down, balance time. Pay \$10 down and let the money you are paying out as rent go towards purchasing a home. This proposition will be open only a limited time.

No. 42—We have a limited number of large level lots in West Hickman that may be purchased on the one-dollar-a-week plan. Better than putting money in the bank. On this plan you can own a lot and hardly miss the money. Buy one and build a home, if you are paying rent. Better investigate today.

No. 43—This proposition includes two nice, little frame residences, both new, in West Hickman. Both are out of the over-flow district—high and dry. Each residence has three rooms, water works, and are convenient to town. Either of these residences will be sold for \$175 or both for \$300. If purchaser wants another 6-room residence, which is located next to this property, will sell the three at \$1800. These prices are cash.

Cayce.

Miss Nina McClellan is visiting friends in Jackson.

The Children's Day exercises here Sunday night, were a success.

Mrs. Owen Bramham, of Jordan, visited here a few days this week.

Miss Bess and Mary Johnson were in Union City, Tuesday, shopping.

Rev. Noah and family, of Rutherford, visited Bob Roper, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Croach and children, of Hailville, Okla., are visiting her mother, Mrs. M. E. Mayes.

Miss Ethel Edmiston returned home Sunday, after a two weeks' visit with relatives near Fulton.

Mrs. Dora Davidson and Jewel Pewett, of near Fulton, visited relatives here, Sunday and Monday.

The Cayce ball team crossed bats with Clinton, Saturday, at Cayce, with a score of 1 to 11 in favor of Cayce.

Miss Lillian Edmiston left Sunday night for Bogda, Mississippi, where she will spend several weeks, visiting an uncle.

All kinds of Summer Underwear, Neckwear, Hosiery, Suspenders, Belts, Etc., at Rice's Shoe Store.

Mrs. Ruby Slater Cavitt, of St. Louis, will arrive Saturday to be the guest of Mrs. S. M. Cavitt.

Commencement Tonight.

Hickman College Commencement exercises will be held tonight at the Lyric. Special arrangements are being made for the entertainment of the friends of education and all are invited to attend. Following is the program for tonight.

●—PROGRAM—●

Orchestra	Tableau
Salutatory.....	"Work for Humanity"
	Miss Lillian Choate
Pantomime.....	"Holy City"
	Misses Rice, Cavitt and Kimbro
Essay.....	"The Tendency of the Age"
	Miss Louise McConnell
Orchestra	
Impersonation.....	"As the Moon Rose"
	Miss Nell Bondurant
Song.....	"Spring"
	Miss Lillian Johnston
Essay.....	"Power of Song"
	Miss Marguerite Fouqua
Orchestra	
Oration.....	"A Republic That Never Retreats"
	Frank O. Smith
Orchestra	
Valedictory.....	"Training"
	Miss Rose Campbell
Presentation of Scholarship	
Orchestra	
Presentation of Diplomas	

Tomorrow night at the same place, a musical and elocutionary recital will be given by the several grades. This also promises to be an interesting affair.
A small admission will be charged for these entertainments.